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Kansas Cattle on Feed

The number of **cattle on feed** on September 1, 2010 in Kansas feedlots with 1,000 head or more capacity totaled 2.20 million head, up 7 percent from a year ago and up 8 percent from August 1, 2010. **Placements** during August totaled 610,000 head, up 11 percent from a year ago and up 22 percent from July 2010 placements of 500,000 head. This ties the highest placements since the current series began in 1993 for any month and is the highest on record for August. **Marketings** during August totaled 440,000 head, up 9 percent from August 2009 but down 4 percent from July 2010. **Other disappearance** was 10,000 head, down 5,000 from a year ago but unchanged from previous month. The percent of August placements by weight was: under 600 pounds, 15 percent; 600-699 pounds, 19 percent; 700-799 pounds, 33 percent; and 800 pounds or heavier, 33 percent.

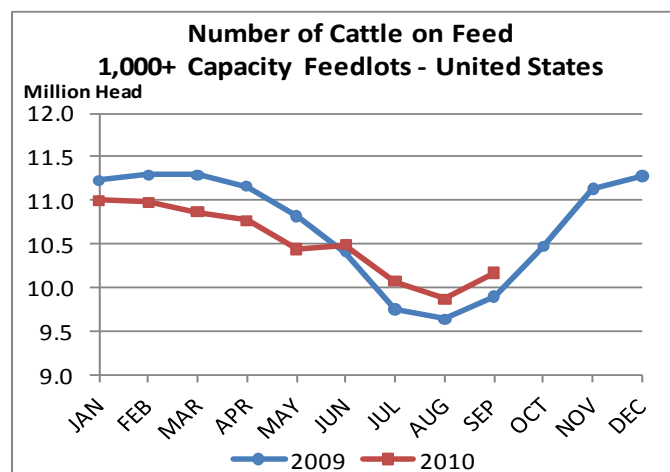
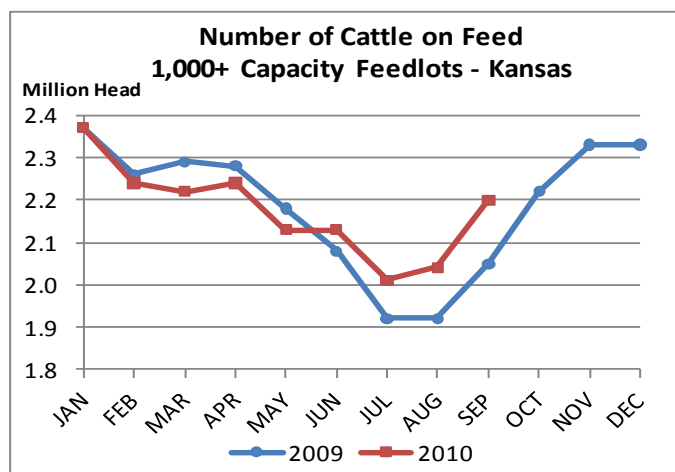
Cattle on Feed, Placements, Marketings, and Other Disappearance, 1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, August - September 2009 - 2010

State	Number on Feed ¹				August Placements		August Marketings		Other Disappearance during August ²	
	Aug 1 2010	September 1								
		2009	2010	% of 2009	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	Percent	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head
CO	890	860	890	103	205	190	190	185	5	5
IA	560	510	560	110	74	93	73	91	1	2
KS.....	2,040	2,050	2,200	107	550	610	405	440	15	10
NE.....	1,960	2,020	2,050	101	460	480	350	380	10	10
OK	335	325	355	109	73	81	56	60	2	1
SD.....	200	185	195	105	36	45	40	49	1	1
TX.....	2,520	2,530	2,550	101	510	540	480	500	10	10
U.S.....	9,873	9,900	10,173	103	2,119	2,270	1,800	1,923	56	47

¹ Being fattened for slaughter market on grain or other concentrates to grade select or better. ² Includes death loss, movement from feedlots to pastures and shipments to other feedlots.

U.S. Cattle on Feed

Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.2 million head on September 1, 2010. The inventory was 3 percent above September 1, 2009. **Placements** in feedlots during August totaled 2.27 million, 7 percent above 2009. Net placements were 2.22 million head. During August, placements of cattle and calves weighing less than 600 pounds were 495,000, 600-699 pounds were 395,000, 700-799 pounds were 565,000, and 800 pounds and greater were 815,000. **Marketings** of fed cattle during August totaled 1.92 million, 7 percent above 2009. **Other disappearance** totaled 47,000 during August, 16 percent below 2009.





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**Cattle on Feed: Number Placed on Feed by Weight Group,
1,000+ Head Capacity Feedlots, Selected States and United States, August 2009-2010**

State	Placed in August									
	Under 600 lbs.		600-699 lbs.		700-799 lbs.		800 Plus lbs.		Total	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head	1,000 Head
CO	15	25	20	20	50	55	120	90	205	190
KS	60	90	100	115	175	200	215	205	550	610
NE	60	55	80	80	100	100	220	245	460	480
TX	200	215	140	120	110	120	60	85	510	540
Other States	100	110	55	60	79	90	160	190	394	450
U.S.	435	495	395	395	514	565	775	815	2,121	2,270

Kansas Milk Production Down 1.9 Percent and U.S. Down 1.9 Percent

The August 2010 **milk production in Kansas** totaled 207 million pounds, down 1.9 percent from the revised July 2010 production of 211 million pounds, but up 1.5 percent from August 2009. The **production per cow** averaged 1,725 pounds, down 35 pounds from July 2010 and down 20 pounds from August 2009. The **number of milk cows** was estimated at 120,000 head, unchanged from July 2010 but up 3,000 head from the previous year.

Milk production in the 23 major States during August totaled 15.0 billion pounds, up 2.8 percent from August 2009. July production, unrevised at 15.3 billion pounds, was up 3.0 percent from July 2009. **Production per cow** in the 23 major States averaged 1,796 pounds for August, 51 pounds above August 2009. **The number of milk cows** on farms in the 23 major States was 8.36 million head, 10,000 head less than August 2009, and 8,000 head less than July 2010.

An audio summary of this report will be available at:

http://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Kansas/Publications/Livestock/Lvstk/index.asp

For the latest beef and other livestock charts provided by Dr. Glynn Tonsor, Extension Ag Economist with KSU-Research & Extension Service, please go to www.agmanager.info/livestock/marketing/graphs. Links to the latest newsletter and radio comments can also be found from this website.